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The regular weekly meeting of the Rollins College Student Government was held on September 27, 2016 at 7:00pm, at Rollins College in the Bieberbach-Reed Room, the Chairman and Clerk being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as correct after vote by Senate.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Welcome
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Speakers
 - A. Ciera Nowak (senior) (cnowak@rollins.edu)
 - 1. Holt Prize
 - 2. Global challenge this year: easing refugees transition
 - 3. She needs help, needs ten teams to go to regional finals
 - a) On Campus (this is the 3rd year)
 - b) October 1st will be when the challenge will be given out
 - 4. November 18th in Bush
 - 5. Sign up for pitch concept: 3 weeks before the actual presentation
 - a) Get a 5 page packet of what is wrong with the world
 - 6. Simple concepts are better
 - a) Even distributing toothbrushes to people
 - 7. 1- 4 person team
 - 8. Need a powerpoint / prototype
 - 9. Challenge has 3-5 judges
 - 10. Can get job offers
- VI. Executive Reports
 - A. President
 - 1. Parents weekend is coming (Nov 4-6th)
 - a) Events are circulating
 - (1) Can sit in RFLA
 - B. Vice President
 - 1. Student Athlete and CLP organizational Senator's position still open
 - 2. Two Senior position open
 - 3. Parliamentary position
 - a) Keeps everyone in check
 - b) Robert's rule
 - 4. President Pro Temp position
 - a) Sit on exec board but they are able to vote
 - b) They would be running senate

c) Voting next week

5. Mission Statement

C. Chief Justice

1. Ways and means committee and Appropriation committees are merging
 - a) Looking for a senator
 - b) As well as a Parliamentarian
2. Acting appropriately in meetings

D. Academic Affairs

1. Went to a Curricular meeting this week
 - a) 20 intercessions were approved
2. Trying to bring a writing workshop to Rollins
 - a) They are going to be choosing three interns to help out at these event
 - b) Non credit non ticket, but helps the national visibility
3. Looking for Academic Advising Committee
 - a) Drafting the first proposal this week
 - b) Rollins is really in need of this committee
 - c) Needs three senators

E. Internal Affairs

1. No report

F. Public Relations

1. First part of homecoming has been very successful
2. The dance is being postponed (last week in Oct, first week in Nov)
3. Spike ball
 - a) First 100 people get gold shirts
4. Saturday (huge day)
 - a) Race begins at 10
 - (1) If they don't want to run they do not have to
 - (2) Encourage tem to donate if they can't come
 - (3) The organization that we are donating to they are an advocacy program / they are building a museum for the Pulse shooting victims
5. Rollins Royals will be the two most voted on, not boy or girl it does not matter
6. Share it on facebook
7. Please keep volunteering

G. Finance

1. Fox funds meetings last week (was a success)
2. Met with Julia Larson from CLP

- a) Asked questions about what and how they can help us

H. Student Life

- 1. Student life meeting
 - a) SHIP scholarships
 - b) People at the Writing center
- 2. Her committee must table at least once a month

I. Diversity and Inclusion

- 1. Looking for two more senators for her committee
 - a) People who are loose structured
 - b) Working with a lot of different faculty and organizations

J. Attorney General

- 1. Academic Honor Council wants to come up with a new way to show what they do and how to share their message to make it more exciting and appealing to the students

K. President Pro Temp

L. Advisor

VII. Organizational Senator Reports

A. CLCE

- 1. Has been reaching out to CLCE organization
- 2. Will be sitting on some meetings

B. Wellness

C. Disability

- 1. Will be meeting with Matt Cassidy and the head of disability services next week

D. FSL

- 1. Got a response back from IFC and Panhel presidents she will be attending Panhel and IFC meetings

E. Residential Life and Explorations

- 1. No report

F. SAAC

G. LGBTQ

- 1. A lot of events that are coming up
- 2. Oct 8th is Pride parade
 - a) Bus charter from Rollins
 - b) Speak to Kallie Joscelyn president of Spectrum
- 3. Different types of workshops for those who are trying to come out to people
- 4. Tomorrow Spectrum is tie dying for Pride
- 5. Will be talking to Prism soon

6. Lucy Cross is team up with planned parenthood and the wellness center to hold a pajama party
 - a. Oct 8th
 - b. Female identified students only
- H. Student Media
 1. Reached out to all the different organizations on campus from student media and is waiting to hear back
- I. International Students
 1. There has been problems with leaking of international students information
 - a) They are threatening students
 - b) Will be having a meeting with the International students department and trying to fix this
- J. Career and Life Planning
- VIII. Ad-Hoc Committees
 - A. Dining Services
 - B. Library
 - C. Campus Safety
 - D. Gym Improvement
- IX. Old Business
- X. New Business
- XI. Open Forum
 - A. Mission Statement:
 1. Fostering an environment of active student engagement both in and out of SGA that contributes to a positive representation of our organization
 2. Homecoming week
 - a) Really need everybody to help
 - b) Gave applause to those who have really helped
 - c) Wants SGA get the applause that they deserve
 - (1) We get more respect on campus
 - (2) More funding
 3. Helping for future events
 4. First step in the right direction
 - a. Making this organization successful
 - B. Parking
 1. Ken Miller and other Staff and SGA are partnering
 - a) Need senators to help start this and want to convince the faculty and staff get on board with us

- b) One idea parking lot in from of admission office, hopefully all student parking, turn hauck parking to faculty
- c) Working to get the alfond gym to holt students at night
- 2. Ken Miller says that parking for medical and jobs may be abused, going to be taking measures to fix that

C. Umbrella Services

- 1. Last year tried to do an umbrella rental service
 - a) Conference with Brella box, was a new concept so the college the wanted to see what would happen
 - b) Who goes around and brings back the umbrella
- 2. What if give away from CLCE might group together and give out umbrellas

D. Chi Psi philanthropy

- 1. Feeding children Everywhere
 - a) Every dollar you raise feeds 4 people
 - b) Meals will also be going to schools nearby for students to take home
- 2. Event involvement with SGA and other organizations
- 3. Wants a thanksgiving bash
 - a) Nov 20th
 - b) Raffles for adults
 - c) Games for kids
 - d) Inside mills building would be Feeding Children Everywhere
 - e) 300 volunteers

E. Professor Student Relationship

- 1. Do we think students have a good relationship with a faculty or staff member?
- 2. Different for the freshman because they only have their RC professor and current students
- 3. Students might not be tying
- 4. But it is not all on the students, the professors also need to give a little to make an equal bond
 - a) They don't meet us half way
- 5. Mixing with different departments
- 6. All freshman females got paired with female professor all through the 4 years
- 7. Once a month CLCE, organized professors and freshman can go to Bieberbach
- 8. Poly Sci department does

- a) Political on Tab: meet the professors like one on one
- 8. A way to use Dave's as a student professor hang out
 - a. To see if they want to participate in that
- F. International Student Field Trip
 - 1. Ticket is like 20-30 dollars
 - 2. Student involvement
 - 3. They had a international fair
 - 4. They will be having a week of event
- G. Academic Internships for Holt Students
 - 1. Dean Richard and Dr. Kenyan meeting with Matt Cassidy
 - a) 1 thing was recently learned for holt student that a couple thousand dollars fee for academic internships
 - 2. Funding to help subsidize the cost or trying to make it more affordable
 - 3. Holt has become the idea of the an undergrad that's a lot cheaper
- H. Too many emails for students
 - 1. Daily this is what is happening at Rollins
 - 2. PR chairs people ignore the SGA homecoming emails
 - 3. Good morning Rollins emails, they seems to be displaying a lot of CFAM events and not about sport or other events related to students
 - 4. Helpful to see who is sending the most emails ad address those offices
 - 5. Calendar for the entire campus?
 - a) Someone has to make it, it might not be fully used
 - b) There are resources
 - 6. Physical Calendar in the Campus Center!!
 - a. Calendar might be up by january on getinvolved
- I. Smoke Free Campus
 - 1. 5-6 smoking areas on campus
 - 2. Mckean has had smokers there and burned the umbrellas
 - 3. Area between Ward and Elizabeth
 - 4. Are no repercussions if it becomes non smoking campus
 - 5. Need to enforce smoking areas
- J. Drumline for games
 - 1. To have more fun on campus
 - 2. Discussion with music department

The meeting adjourned at 8:34 pm.

Maeci Simmons, Internal Relations Chair